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Title: COMPOSITION FOR ENHANCING PHYSICAL PERFORMANCE

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

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This application is a continuation-in-part (and claims the benefit of priority under 35 USC 120) of U.S. application serial no. 10/302,544, filed November 22, 2002. This application also claims priority to U.S. provisional application serial no. 60/420,986, filed October 23, 2002. The disclosure of the prior applications is considered part of (and is incorporated by reference in) the disclosure of this application.

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